

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

IN RE APPLICATION OF: DRAGOS AXINTE ET AL.  
APPLICATION NO.: 10/656,900  
FILED: SEPTEMBER 5, 2003  
FOR: **CORDLESS SOLDERING IRON**

EXAMINER: SHAWNTINA FUQUA  
ART UNIT: 3742  
CONFIRMATION NO: 1541  
ATTY. DKT. NO.: 57387-8011.US01

**Petition to Revive Unintentionally Abandoned  
Application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b)**

Mail Stop Petition  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

1. The Applicants hereby petition for revival of the above-identified application, which apparently became abandoned on June 22, 2006 for failure to file a response to the Notice of Allowance mailed March 21, 2006.
2. Reply Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b)(1)

Enclosed herewith is a Fee Transmittal in reply to the Notice of Allowance.

3. Fee Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b)(2)

Please charge the Petition fee (\$750.00) to Deposit Account 50-2283 (57387-8011.US01).

4. Statement Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b)(3)

The entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the reply until the filing of a grantable petition pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b) was unintentional.

5. Duration of Abandonment (1203 OG 86-87, Oct. 21, 1997)

- ☒ This petition is being filed within 3 months of the date when Applicants first became aware of the abandonment. Applicants' present counsel first discovered on June 22, 2006 via PAIR that a Notice of Allowance was issued on March 21, 2006. The Notice of Allowance was not received by Applicants' present counsel and was not provided to Applicants.

To Applicants' knowledge, a Notice of Abandonment has not been mailed. Further information regarding the abandonment is not believed to be required under current USPTO practice.

6. Terminal Disclaimer under 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b)(4) and (c)


- ☒ Since this application was filed on or after June 8, 1995, no terminal disclaimer is required.
- ☐ Since this application was filed before June 8, 1995, a terminal disclaimer is enclosed dedicating to the public a terminal part of the term of any patent granted hereon, and of any patent granted on a continuing application hereof, equivalent to the period of abandonment of this application.

7. Additional Fees

- ☒ Please charge any underpayment in fees for timely consideration of this Petition to Deposit Account No. 50-2283 (57387-8011.US01).

Respectfully submitted,  
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